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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 1999, the period for response to which extends through May 22, 1999, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections in view of the following considerations:

Claims 7-14 remain pending in the application.

In the Office Action dated March 26, 1999, the Examiner rejected claims 7-14 under 35 U.S.C. § 112 ¶1; rejected claims 7-14 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,497,241 to Ostrover et al. (hereinafter Ostrover et al.); and rejected claims 7-14 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Applicants' "admitted prior art" in view of any one of Ostrover et al., U.S. Patent No. 5,126,981 to Kim (hereinafter Kim), U.S. Patent No. 5,289,288 to Silverman et

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